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C O N F I D E N T I A L NASSAU 1168

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: SPOP, BF, US
SUBJECT: INS REQUEST FOR EMBASSY ASSISTANCE

1. EMBASSY HAS BEEN APPROACHED BY U.S. INS MIAMI (FRED ALEXANDER) ABOUT POSSIBLE ASSISTANCE TO INS IN STEMMING GROWING NUMBER OF ILLEGAL ALIENS -PARTICULARLY COLUMBIANS AND HAITIANS - ENTERING U.S. FROM BAHAMAS. ACCORDING TO ALEXANDER ALIENS FROM TWO COUNTRIES ARE OBTAINING VALID ENTRY DOCUMENTS FOR BAHAMAS AND ARE THEN PAYING SMUGGLERS TO TRANSPORT THEM ILLEGALLY FROM OUT ISLANDS TO FLORIDA USING SMALL UNCHARTERED PRIVATE PLANES OR SMALL OCEAN-GOING CRAFT.

2. INS, IN AN ATTEMPT TO GAIN INTELLIGENCE INTO THE SMUGGLING OPERATION, PROPOSES TO INTRODUCE A HAITIAN INFORMANT (LEGALLY RESIDING IN THE US) INTO THE BAHAMAS TO INFILTRATE SMUGGLING OPERATION. TO DO THIS THEY WOULD NEED THE APPROVAL OF BAHAMIAN IMMIGRATION DIRECTOR AND EMBASSY HAS BEEN ALERTED TO BE PREPARED TO INITIATE REQUEST UPON NOTICE FROM INS.

3. WE HAVE NO OBJECTION TO MAKING REQUEST UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY DEPARTMENT. AT SAME TIME WE
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ARE NOT SANGUINE THAT WE WILL BE GIVEN GREEN LIGHT TO PROCEED.

4. PLEASE ADVISE.
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